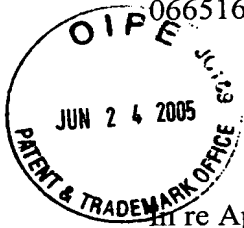


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In re Application of: John P. Reilly, et al.
Appln. Serial No.: 09/766,422
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Title: System and Method for Modeling Communication Networks

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Dear Sir:

Request for Extension of Time

Applicants hereby take a two-month Extension of Time for responding to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated January 25, 2005. The two-month extension of time is calculated from April 25, 2005 to June 25, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of a two-month extension of time. Although Applicants believe no other fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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